

# *Documents on Diplomacy: Introduction*

## *A Note on Sources*

This is a project celebrating the importance of the primary source document and its versatility as a classroom resource. There are countless collections available today, but until now no one source has been devoted entirely to U.S. foreign policy from 1775 to the present day. This collection draws from dozens of sites and includes just a fraction of documents from each. It is our hope that you will visit and explore each one of them to discover their unique perspectives and uncover additional resources for classroom use.

Our sources include, but are not limited to:

- History Matters, George Mason University
- The Foreign Relations of the United States, U.S. Department of State, Office of the Historian
- Foreign Relations of the United States, University of Wisconsin Digital Library
- The Miller Center at the University of Virginia
- Vincent Ferraro's home page at Mt. Holyoake
- The Avalon Project at Yale Law School
- Teaching American History
- Project Gutenberg
- Bartleby.com, Great Books Online
- Cornell University Law School, Legal Information Institute
- The Napoleon Series
- Presidential Rhetoric.com
- Calisphere at the University of California
- U.S. Records and Archives Administration, ourdocuments.gov
- The Internet Modern History Source Book, compiled by Paul Halsall at Fordham University
- The UCLA Asia Institute
- The Future of Freedom Foundation
- The United States Democratic Review as included in the digital collection "The Making of America," at Cornell
- Harper's New Monthly Magazine as included in the digital collection, "The Making of America," at Cornell

- Google Books
- Herbert Hoover Presidential Library and Museum
- McMaster University (Canada), Faculty of Social Sciences
- The website of The United Nations
- The website of *Foreign Affairs*
- The website of Commentary
- Website of the Convention on the International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora
- The Jimmy Carter Presidential Library
- The Council on Foreign Relations
- The Centers for Disease Control
- You Tube
- The website of the Convention of the United Nations Environment Program
- The website of the World Trade Organization
- The website of the Secretariat of the North American Free Trade Agreement
- The website of PBS' News Hour
- The Huffington Post
- The website of the U.S. Agency for International Development
- The website of the *New York Times*
- Wikipedia

### **Books**

- *French Covert Action in the American Revolution*, James M. Potts
- *"Emperor Dead" and Other Historic American Dispatches*, Edited by Peter D. Eicher
- *The Emerging Nation: A Documentary History of the Foreign Relations of the United States under the Articles of Confederation, 1780-1789*, Mary A. Giunta, Editor-in-Chief, Volumes I-III
- *The World's Story: A History of the World in Story, Song and Art*, edited by Eva March Tappan
- *The Memoirs of Herbert Hoover*, Herbert Hoover